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In re Application of :
Gilbert Hu et al :
Application No. 09/590,758 : DECISION GRANTING PETITION
Filed: June 8, 2000 : UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)
Attorney Docket No. 017789-001000US :

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This is a decision on the petition under 37 CFR 1.137(b), filed February 18, 2005, to revive the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

This application became abandoned by operation of law for failure to timely reply to the Notices mailed November 5, 2004, which required payment of the issue fee and submission of corrected formal drawings on or before February 7, 2005 to prevent the abandonment of the application. No reply having been received, the date of abandonment of this application is February 8, 2005.

The drawings submitted with the petition have been approved. See attachment.

The petition satisfies the conditions for revival pursuant to the provisions of 37 CFR 1.137(b) in that (1) the reply in the form of the issue fee and drawings; (2) the petition fee; and (3) the required statement of unintentional delay have been received. Accordingly, the reply to the Notices of November 5, 2004 is accepted as having been unintentionally delayed.

Telephone inquiries concerning this decision should be directed to the undersigned at (571) 272-3218.

The application file is being forwarded to Publishing Division.


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